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SUBJECT: W/W FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE MILTON W. MELZIAN

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1. DIRECTOR OF CUSTOMS HAS NOTIFIED EMBASSY UNOFFICIALLY ON
FRIENDLY BASIS THAT BECAUSE OF LONG WAIT WITHOUT RESULT
FRANCISTOWN OFFICE HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO HAVE MELZIAN'S
CAMPER VEHICLE SIEZED AND SOLD BY THE END OF JULY IF CUSTOMS
DUTIES NOT PAID BY THEN.

2. IT IS NOT POSSIBLE TO FORWARD WRITTEN EXPLANATION TO

HARLEY MELZIAN BY END OF THE MONTH FROM HERE. HOPEFULLY,
DEPARTMENT'S EXPLANATION WILL SUFFICE. REF C HAS BASIC OUTLINES
OF MELZIAN'S PROBLEMS. HE IS UNABLE TO RETURN TO RHODESIA
BECAUSE HE HAS BEEN DECLARED PROHIBITED RESIDENT THERE.
MELZIAN UNABLE TO DRIVE BEYOND BOTSWANA BORDER POST WITHOUT
PAYING CUSTOMS DUTIES ON CAMPER. IF RELATIVES DO NOT FORWARD
FUNDS, MELZIAN WILL LOSE CAMPER. PLEASE PASS THIS INFO TO HAR-
LEY MELZIAN AND ADVISE US ASAP OF HIS PLANS.
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